

CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

INFORMATION REPORT

FLD
316

This Document contains information affecting the National Defense of the United States, within the meaning of Title 18, Sections 793 and 794, of the U.S. Code, as amended. Its transmission or revelation of its contents to or receipt by an unauthorized person is prohibited by law. The reproduction of this form is prohibited.

CONFIDENTIAL
SECURITY INFORMATION

COUNTRY	Bulgaria	REPORT NO.		25X1
SUBJECT	Zastavas in Petrich Okoliya	DATE DISTR.	3 September 1953	
		25X1 NO. OF PAGES	1	
DATE OF INFO.			REQUIREMENT NO.	RD
PLACE ACQUIRED			REFERENCES	

THE SOURCE EVALUATIONS IN THIS REPORT ARE DEFINITIVE.
THE APPRAISAL OF CONTENT IS TENTATIVE.
(FOR KEY SEE REVERSE)

25X1

SOURCE:

1. An unidentified zastava is located at N 41-20, E 23-11, near the Charshiite area, Petrich Okoliya. It is in the edge of the forest approximately two kilometers from the border line and north of bench mark (kota) 1951.5. Ten soldiers were observed in and about the 3-4 room zastava building, constructed in 1951-52. An earthen bunker is situated 15-20 meters south of the building and can accommodate five or six men.
2. An unidentified zastava is located between Drangovo (N 41-25, E 23-17) and Rudzhak (N 41-23, E 23-15) about 2.5 kilometers southwest of Drangovo, five kilometers almost due east of Petrich, and 1.5 kilometers from the border line. It is known by the local inhabitants as "Drangovska Zastava." The zastava building has three or four rooms, a cellar, and a kennel of ten dogs. During the spring of 1953, approximately 20 soldiers were observed in and around the zastava. An earthen bunker, which can accommodate ten men, is situated 70-80 meters south of the zastava building. In the spring of 1953, a sign located 500 meters south of the zastava building, saying, "Do not pass--DANGER!" It was rumored that this was a mine field.
3. A barbed wire fence, two meters high with three horizontal wires interlaced with sticks, is located in the vicinity of Kozlek (N 41-23, E 23-14).

25X1

25X1

CONFIDENTIAL

STATE		ARMY	#X	NAVY	X	AIR	X	FBI		AEC			
-------	--	------	----	------	---	-----	---	-----	--	-----	--	--	--

(Note: Washington Distribution Indicated By "X"; Field Distribution By "#".)